The Honorable Martin P. Durkin
Secretary of Labor
U. S. Department of Labor
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Durkin:

In response to your lotter of 15 May 1953, regarding American National Red Cross first aid training courses in field operations of the Federal Government, this Agency has forwarded pertinent information to its various field offices.

The Central Intelligence /gency is pleased to be able to support these important training courses, and you may, of course, rely on centimued occuparation in conjunction with such programs in the future.

Sincerely,

Allen W. Dulles Director

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May 15, 1953

Hon. Allen W. Dulles Director of Central Intelligence Central Intelligence Agency Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Dulles:

In accordance with program plans for 1953, as outlined in the Annual Report of the Federal Safety Council, we are now actively engaged in a cooperative effort with the American National Red Cross to stimulate and promote first aid training in all field operations of the Federal Government.

The Red Cross will conduct these courses, and through the Field Safety Councils, classes will be organized for either individual agencies or cooperating establishments, depending upon the number of enrolless. Your representative on the Federal Safety Council has been informed of operating details and is cooperating in this activity.

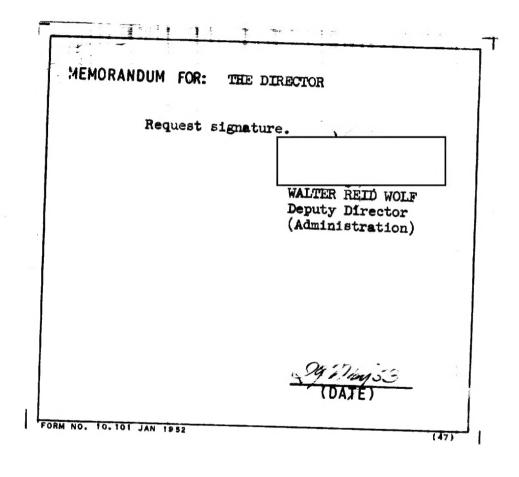
It will be most helpful to the success of this undertaking if an expression of encouragement and support could be sent to each of your field offices or establishments urging employees to take advantage of this valuable training.

I want to thank you for your cooperation and interest in the Federal Safety Council program and will be pleased to send you a progress report on this activity in the near future.

Sincerely yours,

Secretary of Labor

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